

A Summary of Important Events.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL

SECRETARY OF STATE BLAINE has been informed by the Minister of the United States at St. Petersburg that the various reports of alleged persecution by the Russian Government of the Hebrews living in that country are entirely without foundation in fact. This information is obtained from Russian Government officials, but more particularly from resident Hebrews themselves. Many of the latter are, however, seeking other homes to secure for their young men better facilities for securing higher education.

three men were injured. Four tons of molten metal were precipitated into a pool of water, the metal flying in every direction and filling the air with a stifling vapor. How the two hundred employees who were in the building

COMMISSIONER ROOSEVELT returned to Washington, on the 18th, after a six

Governor Francis in Texas.

Small-Pox in St. Louis.
There are four patients at the St. Louis Small-Pox Hospital.

IMPRESSIVE SERVICES.

ersburg in regard to the various acts of the alleged persecution by the Russian Government of the Hebrews living in that country, that upon a thorough investigation it is a source of special gratification to be able to present denial not only of the Russian Government, but of the Hebrews them-

A FEARFUL FANIO

the time were seven men, among them being one of the members of the firm. All perished with the exception of Samuel Robinson, a ship painter, who was rescued with difficulty and taken to a hotel. The Gard was on her way down the bay to

The Excitement in New Orleans Over

pan, as heretofore reported, has been wrecked on the island of Looeoo, midway between Nagasaki and Formosa, and nearly all of the crew lost. This news was received from London yesterday by cable to the vessel's agents in this city, and has caused